



Mirror Development  
Technology Days 2004  
In the  
Government

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## Important Information

Morning Sessions are in West Hall

Afternoon Sessions are in South Hall

Coffee Breaks, Lunch and Receptions included in you Fee

Forgot about Photo Shoot – will set something up.

Tours on Request – individual arrangements – most have seen MSFC

Government Only Session is for Coordination of Future Activities

Most Presentations will be available on MSFC/SOMTC Web Site

[http://optics.nasas.gov/tech\\_days/index.html](http://optics.nasas.gov/tech_days/index.html)



## Purpose of Tech Days

Lightweight Large-Aperture Mirror Technology is critical for NASA and DoD Space missions.

Topics discussed at Tech Days will enable missions for next 10 to 20 yrs.

Tech Days has two Goals:

How are we Spending the Taxpayer's money

1. Is the Government Investing the Taxpayer's money wisely  
Are we funding 5 good ideas or 1 good idea 5 times?
2. Are we getting good value for our investment?
3. How can we coordinate our activities to maximize the efficacy of our investments.

Provide a networking opportunity for Vendors and Government.



# Thank You and Acknowledgements

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